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Electrifying our heating for buildings is an important step in reducing our emissions. It can also help reduce costs for constructing new houses by eliminating the cost of gas piping. Heat pumps provide excellent control of the interior environment. For people who need to reduce their risk of heat exposure, the AC that is also available with heat pumps can help them during heat waves.

Heat pumps are a win-win for consumers and the environment. Please help move us towards lower GHG emissions by supporting the new heat pump requirements in the code.

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